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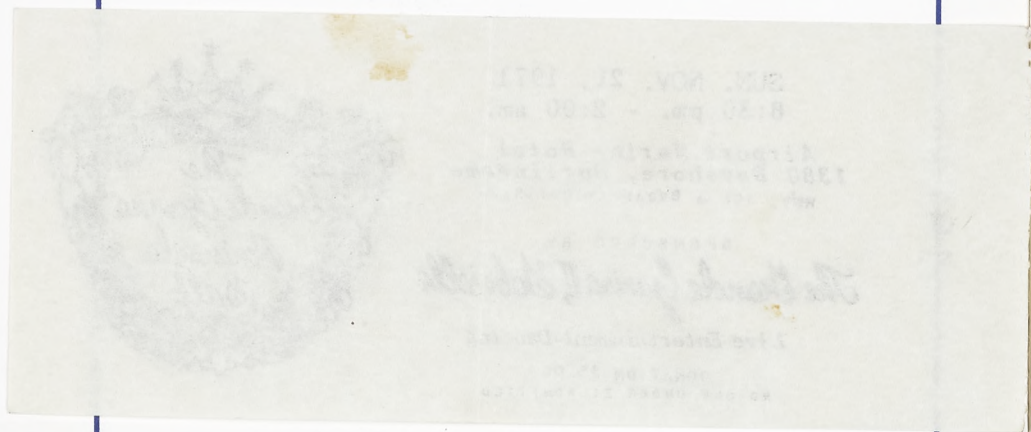
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We thank you friends  
for the support you have shown,  
for all the happiness you've given us  
and for your presence here.

Now, when this evening is over  
and you have gone away,  
the memory of this joyous time  
will ever with us stay.

Thank you,  
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and

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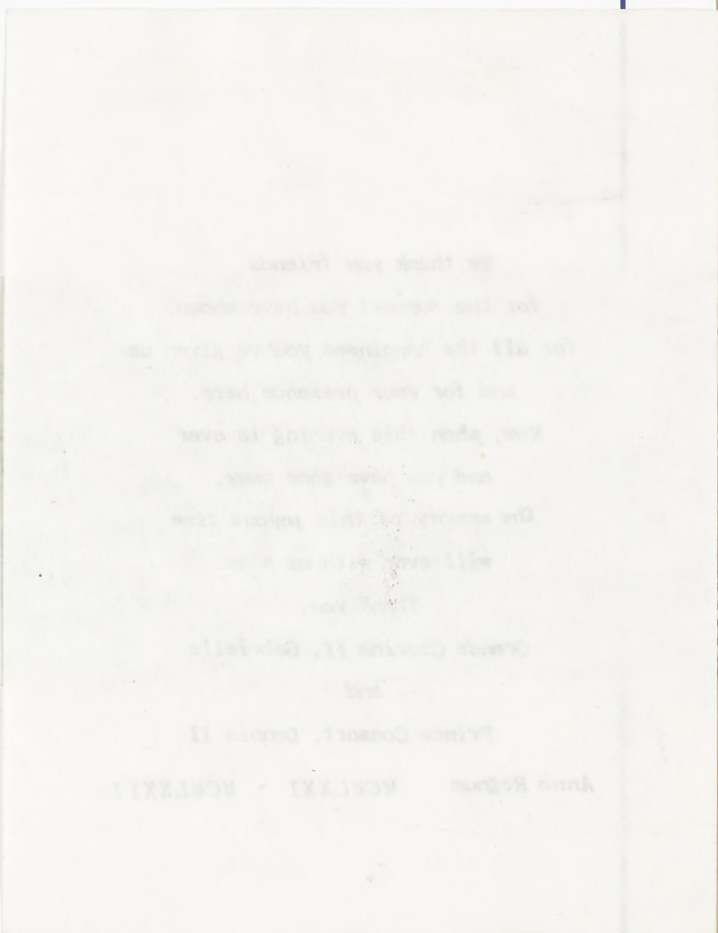
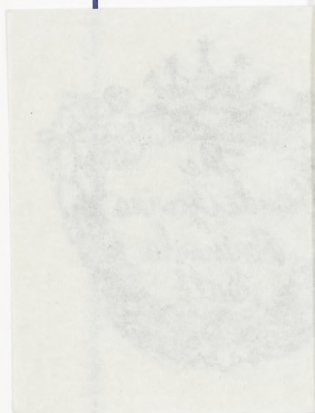
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## *Grande Czarina Gabrielle II*

This has been the year of 1971. Some of its moments have been very busy, tragic . . . and most of all f-u-n! I want to thank all the wonderful people for their help, love and understanding of today's problems. A job, Well Done.

To know people like this, I am proud to say, makes life worth living, day by day.

A special thank you to all the Royale Courts. You have made the year 1971 Heaven to be Gay!

GRANDE CZARINA II

GABRIELLE





## GRAND DOWAGER CZARINA SALLY I

### TO OUR SALLY A MEMORIAL



The last time I saw her  
There were stars in her hair.  
She came out of the night  
Bringing star dust and magic  
And pomp.  
And dignity.

Such a brief time to know her.  
But even in brevity  
I came to know  
Her kindness  
And her smile.

The last time I saw her  
She raised a hand  
And smiled and waved.  
Surrounded by friends  
Triumphant,  
Happy.

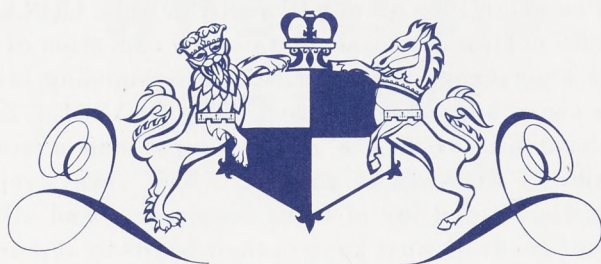
I will remember  
When stars are shining  
A little brighter.  
She came this way  
And left a little  
Stardust  
For us all.

*Judy Belshaw*

*Congratulations  
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# What Is A Czarina?



. . . . . By GOLDY MONTANA . . . . .

Through tradition and desire, many gay persons in recent years have collectively given concerted efforts to selecting among themselves - through various contests, pageants and services - a gay person or persons to receive special designations of various degrees of champion among their fellows.

For each person selected, there is given a title of Royal Degree. The highest position on this echelon of royal peers in the Peninsula Bay Area, THE GRANDE CZARINA, holds in its lofty achievement many duties, the execution of which, demands a personage of good humor, understanding, fair play, common sense and noble intuition. The GRANDE CZARINA must above all, display a good example and a sense of responsibility wherever he goes. He must always represent the true dignity and joy of being homosexual and all homosexuals of goodwill must know in their hearts by this example that the CZARINĂ is not a symbolic institution, but a real and loving individual.

Amidst the fun, glitter and excitement of his office, the GRANDE CZARINA has the sober duty of organizing many gay functions resulting in great monetary advancement to host establishments. The CZARINĂ patronizes gay business and hopes always to best serve the greater good for all gay people - guys and gals - together.

It is a great honor to be elected CZARINA - it is quite another matter indeed to attain the character and disposition that is the CZARINA. Of such is the majesty and dignity which exemplifies our CZARINAS:

SALLY I

GABRIELLE II

We are so very fortunate to have had their example. May our future regent CZARINAS be so inspired and thus make us grateful we have a sky of our own to assemble our stars.



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AND THE NEW CZAR ELECT



- A TAVERN GUILD MEMBER -



**BILLIE DIAMOND**

**GRAND DUCHESS OF THE PENINSULA  
DIAMOND LIL' OF ALL PORTLAND  
ROYALE COUNTESS OF THE PENINSULA**

*My royal symbol is the Cockatoo and my royal colors are deep blue and passionate purple. I wish to thank all the beautiful people who made the past years so memorable. It is a delight to be your Grand Duchess.*

*And now I have placed my name before you as a candidate for Czarina of the Peninsula and with your support I hope to make it as exciting, interesting, cheery and active a year for you as these past years have been under Grand Dowager Sally and Czarina Gabrielle. I hope to further and promote a friendly atmosphere among all gay persons and keep the desire for unity and community efforts for gay people alive and always advancing.*





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## Dawn

### SIR KNIGHT AND GRANDE ROYALE HONOR GUARD OF THE PENINSULA

My royal symbol is the Turtledove and my royal colors are red and gold. I have always wondered what it would be like to have all gay people accepted by our vast society. Can you imagine! We have a long, hard road ahead with undoubtedly many successes and pitfalls. I hope we can achieve our goals of unity. We must all become involved in our special way of life - our gay life. It was not long ago that I became aware of the power, unity and involvement can have in serving gay people and thus society at large. We have the great example of Grande Czarina Gabrielle to follow. I have had the privilege to know many fantastic, wonderful people who have our best interest as gay people foremost in their hearts. I hope that I will be better resolved to do my best as your Czarina because of these people, my gay friends, both guys and gals. In closing I would like to quote a phrase from a well known individual, Abigail Van Buren; "The most burdensome problem the homosexual must bear is the stigma placed upon him by an unenlightened and intolerant society. Their sexual being is as natural and normal for them as ours is for us. They are neither sick nor degenerate. They are simply different. Mine is a plea for love and understanding for these misunderstood and mistreated souls. They too are God's children." Our world is very large; now how shall we best educate it and make love its' master. Let us become love's servants.



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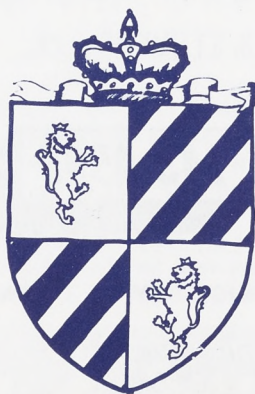
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## Jon Jon

My royal symbol is the Lion and my royal colors are purple and white. I wish to express my heartfelt thanks to one and all for participating and making this a successful event. I hope to be able to serve all of you in this upcoming year as your Grand Czarina. But if not, let's all stand united behind whomsoever the people should see fit to elect.







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## Nickie Nations

### ROYAL COUNTESS OF CUPERTINO

My royal symbol is the Eagle of Mexico and my royal colors are magenta and tangerine. Beautiful people of the Peninsula, if chosen your Czarina, I wish to follow in the footsteps and also try to compliment the wonderful things the other Czarinas have contributed to our community. While being Countess to the Court of Dowager Grand Czarina Sally I, I have learned many things that will be expected of me. Other wonderful people have also given me much to be thankful for.

I promise to help the needs of the community to the best of my ability. My theme song for this year will be 'There Is No Stopping Us Now'. My dear friends, gay people are on their way to even greater achievements.

Wishing you my people, the best of next year.

All my love,

COUNTESS NICKIE NATIONS



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SIR DEE

PRINCE CONSORT TO GRAND DOWAGER CZARINA SALLY I

*My royal symbol is the Peace Symbol and my royal colors are blue and white. As for being your first Czar of the Peninsula I give you no campaign promises but I only wish to fulfill the hopes of your first Czarina.*

*A unity of guys and gals together and unity for all gay people everywhere is my greatest desire.....*





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CZARINA I

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## Georgie

My royal symbol is the Owl and my royal colors are purple and white. This is rather new to us all, but I feel that I can accomplish the work that is expected of me.

As the first Czar I have a job ahead of me; I realize that it will be up to me to pave the way for future Czars and set an example for them to follow. If I am elected, I will serve to the best of my ability.





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*Gabrielle*

*For a Great Year!!*



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GOLDY MONTANA

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*Best Wishes to the  
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## Storm

### PRINCESS ROYALE OF THE PENINSULA

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I enjoyed my participation with the organization of this Ball. The time and effort I spent in locating and working with the management of the Hotel was rewarded by this wonderful assemblage.

It is evenings like this that endear my perpetual title of Princess Royale. The title, Princess Royale, was bestowed on me, Storm, the night of February 7, 1971, at the coronation of Grande Czarina Gabrielle II. This perpetual title has enabled me from that day forward, to be a grand assistant to all Czarinas. This office I accept most graciously.

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